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Subject: Re: Velvet Partial Bond Release

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Paul, sorry for the delay. Things are pretty hectic at end of year. I did visit Velvet last week. Overall the work done thus far looks good. I agree that the bond can be reduced as proposed to cover outstanding reveg work.

The slopes on the re-graded dump held up pretty well given the amount of rain we recently received. The terraces seem to be working. Additional scarifying or ripping along the contour when seeds are applied this fall should also help control run-off and prevent rilling.

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